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For: METHOD FOR OBTAINING INFORMATION  
REGARDING INTERFERENCE IN THE  
RECEIVER OF A MESSAGE TRANSMISSION  
SYSTEM

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### **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

### **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the final Office Action dated October 21, 2003, for which a response was due on January 21, 2004. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to March 22, 2004 (March 21, 2004 being a Sunday). Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended; in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.